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**STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW**

On June 8, 2007 Examiner Sharon contacted Applicants representative S. Truesdale to discuss claim 10. It was agreed that claim 10 will be canceled by Examiner's amendment. The above is a summary of the substance of this telephonic interview.

Respectfully submitted,  
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